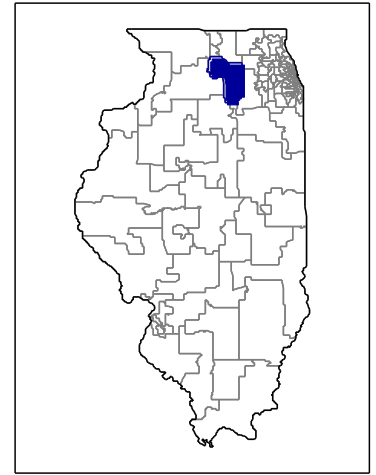


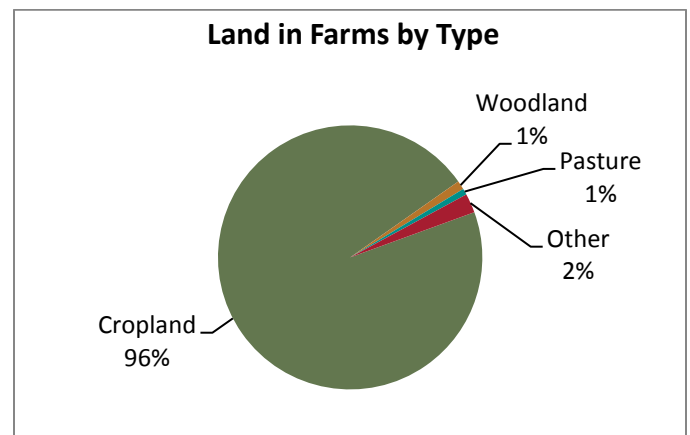
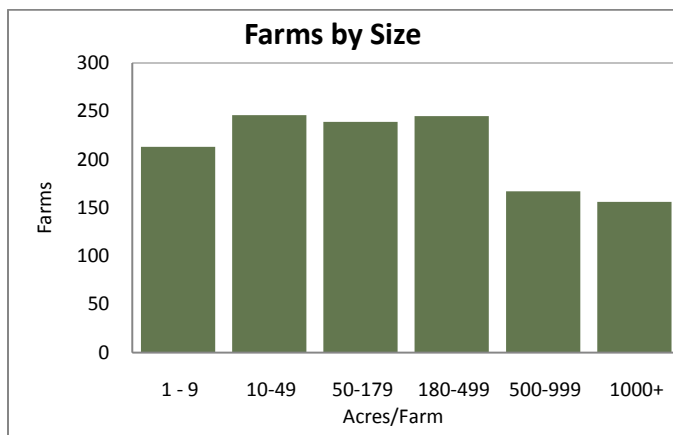
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## State Legislative Profile



### Illinois House District 70

	2007
Number of Farm Operators	1,901
Number of Farms	1,266
Land in Farms	492,685 acres
Average Size of Farm	389 acres
Irrigated Land	613 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$355,238,000
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$280,599
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$10,363,000
Government Payments	\$12,552,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,629



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#### Ranked Items Among the 118 House Districts in the State, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	355,238	15	110
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	248,304	20	107
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	106,935	10	81
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	239,371	20	99
Tobacco	-	-	3
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,927	12	69
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	591	5	61
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	4,170	27	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	43	55
Other crops and hay	(D)	24	82
Poultry and eggs	(D)	12	59
Cattle and calves	56,424	5	68
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,649	26	47
Hogs and pigs	46,725	9	54
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	55
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	84	40	64
Aquaculture	-	-	24
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	61
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Corn for grain	332,736	19	96
Soybeans for beans	111,399	27	95
Wheat for grain, all	6,890	21	63
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	5,395	29	83
Vegetables harvested for sale	5,044	5	69
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Hogs and pigs	201,334	9	53
Turkeys	(D)	3	43
Cattle and calves	31,279	16	72
Layers	3,066	18	58
Sheep and lambs	1,690	13	56

#### Other Assembly District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	298	Farming	684
\$1,000 to \$2,499	50	Other	582
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Male	1,188
\$20,000 to \$24,999	14	Female	78
\$25,000 to \$39,999	67		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	48	Average age of principal operator (years)	55
\$50,000 to \$99,999	111		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	190	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	155	American Indian or Alaskan Native	4
\$500,000 or more	197	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	275,995	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	218,005	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,835
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	102,158	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	80,694	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	5

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of assembly districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.